

LAW OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND
AN ACT FOR THE BUILDING A PARISH CHURCH IN PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY.

C H A P. Authority of the same, That all Causes, Pleas, Proces and Pleadings, now depending in, or returnable to the said High Court of Appeals now sitting, and which cannot otherwise so long continue, shall be, and are by virtue of this Act, adjourned and continued until the third Friday in November next, and shall then be in the same State, Place and Condition, as they now are, any Law, Usage or Custom to the contrary notwithstanding.

An ACT empowering the Justices of Prince George's and Frederick Counties, to levy on the taxable Persons of Prince George's Parish in said Counties, the sum of Ninety-six Thousand Pounds of Tobacco, for building a new Parish Church, at or near the Place where the old one now stands.

Preamble.

WHEREAS the Rector, Vestrymen, Churchwardens, and sundry Parishioners of Prince George's Parish, in Prince George's and Frederick Counties, by their humble Petition to this General Assembly, representing that their Parish Church is in a ruinous Situation and very much gone to Decay, so as to be quite unfit for any further Repairs, and evidently dangerous for the Minister and Congregation who attend Worship there, have prayed that an Act may pass for the Assessment of Ninety-six Thousand Pounds of Tobacco on the taxable Inhabitants of the said Parish, for building a new Parish Church;

II. Be it therefore enacted, by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Greenwich and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That the Justices of Prince George's and Frederick Counties, for the time being, shall be, and they are hereby empowered and required, on the Application of the Vestry and Churchwardens of Prince George's Parish aforesaid, for the major Part of them, to assess and levy on the taxable Inhabitants of the said Parish, the aforesaid sum of Ninety-six Thousand Pounds of Tobacco, and the Salary of Five per Centum to the Sheriff for collecting the same; and Two equal Assessments, which said Assessments shall be respectively made by the Justices aforesaid, in Proposition to the taxable Inhabitants of the said Parish, residing in their respective Counties; and the same, together with the Sheriff's Salary for Collection, shall be payable by the taxable Inhabitants of the said Parish, and collected by the Sheriffs of said Counties, in common Money, at the Rate of Twelve Shillings, and Six pence per Hundred Pounds of Tobacco, and shall be by them respectively paid to the Vestry and Churchwardens of the said Parish for the time being, who are hereby authorised and empowered to apply the same to the building a new Parish Church, at or near the Place where the old one now stands, and to no other Use or Purpose whatsoever; it is hereby

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A Supplementary Act to the Act entitled, *An Act for the building a Parish Church in Queen Anne Parish, in Prince George's County.*

Preamble,
relating Part
of a former
Act.

WHEREAS by the Act entitled, *An Act for the building a Parish Church in Queen Anne Parish, in Prince George's County,* the Justices of the said County were thereby required to levy upon the taxable Inhabitants of the said Parish, a Quantity not exceeding One Hundred